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GRAIN TAKES A TUMBLE.

ALL SPECULATIVE PRICES LOWER IN CRICAGO.

Government Crop Report Did the Mischief-Whent Off 1 1-4c, Corn 7-Se and Onts 3-Sc-Provisions Also Lower.

Chicago, Oct. 12.-It was a day of liquidation in all the grain and provision markets. The government crop report was especially prominent. Weak cables and a large visible increase also affected wheat, which closed at a 11/6/11/c decline. Corn lost %c, oats %c and provisions, which had discouraging yellow fever news to contend with, declined 20c for pork and 5@10c for

with, declined 20c for pork and sque for lard and ribs.

Wheat was quite weak at the opening, December, which closed yesterday at 21%@ 51½c, starting to-day at 30%@30½c. The government statement, in its October report, that the estimate of area and condition of wheat was withheld pending special investigation, was given a very bearish construction by the trade. It was taken as notice that the previous estimate of area was to be increased. This and the weaker tone at Liverpool, which market opened %6%d lower, and the local decline in corn made the trade bearish. Despite the weakers in Liverpool, the French markets were firmer and there were indications of continued French buying at the seaboard. The Northwestern receipts showed a marked falling off. Duluth and Minneapolis received 1,257 cars, against 1,692 cars a week ago and 1,432 cars the corresponding day last year. Notwithstanding the bearish temper of the trade, the market declined very slowly. It even sold up a trifle shortly after the opening, December advancing to 20%450c. By 11 o'clock it was selling around 90c. As the day advanced, however, it became decidedly unpleasant for holders of wheat. The Bradstreet statement showed an increase in the world's visible of 8,212,000 bushels for the week, where an increase of not over 4,000,000 was expected. This caused renewed selling, December deciding to 89%c under decidedly free liquidation. The Liverpool closing was 3,41d lower than yetterday, and the Continental markets, which had been strong at the outset, closed at slight declines. There was nothing in the day's record of wheat movement to discourage a holder. Primary markets received 1,319,000 bushels, against 1,540,000 bushels a year ago. The Atlantic exports equaled to change. There were denials that the Argentine drouth had been broken and renewals of the assertions of damage by locusts. Very strong local buying attended these bullish reports, and a gradual recovery in prices ensued. December was bringing 50%c at the close. Wheat was quite weak at the opening,

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Provisions started stronger, in sympathy with an advance in her prices.

Provisions started stronger, in sympathy Provisions started stronger, in sympathy with an advance in hog prices. The slight advance disappeared at once under free selling by English houses, who found it difficult to dispose of their offerings. Discouraging yellow fever news and the extreme weakness of the grain markets caused the market to rule weak until near the close, when prices recovered a little. At the close, December pork was 20c lower at \$7.60; December lard 5c lower at \$1.22½ and December ribs 7½@10c lower at \$4.4.4. Estimated receipts Wednesday: Wheat, 175 cars; corn, 475 cars; oats, 275 cars; hogs,

_ LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

A Break in Wheat-Corn and Oats Slow Sile and Weaker. In store—Wheat, 1.529,199 bushels; corn, 242,509 bushels; oats, 77,099 bushels, and rye, 22,009 bushels. Wheat.

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sees City: No. 2 mixed early, 13 cars	5 11

24%c, and later 17 cars at 24c; May, 10,000 bushels, at 28%c; No. 3 mixed, 4 cars at 23%c; No. 4 mixed, 23%23%c; No. 2 white, 1 car at 34%c and 3 cars at 24%c; No. 4 white, 23%23%c. Onts. eccipts past 24 hours.... Shipments 7,000 The fresh arrivals yesterday were light, but there were a good many holdovers, which made free offerings. This, with a bearish government report and a decline

In corn, coused buyers to hold back and resulted in a dull and weaker market, and a number of samples had to be carried over unsold. By sample on track here at Kansas City: No. 2 mixed, 174/418c, 1 car at 18c; No. 3 mixed, 174/418c, 1 car at 174/c; No. 2 white, 194/20c, 1 car at 18c; No. 3 white, 174/4/18c, 2 cars choice at 184/c; No. 4 white, 194/16c.

Bye. Rye.

CORN CHOP—Steady and in fair demand. Quoted at 43744c per cwt., sucked.

FEEDSTUFFS—Active and firmer. Mixed feed, 46446bc per cwt., sacked: straight bran, 45446c per cwt., sacked; bulk, 35436c per cwt., sacked.

FLAXSEFD—Active and firm. Cash and October, 89bc per bushel, upon the basis of pure. of pure.
CASTOR BEANS—Steady and in fair demand. Car lots, \$1.12 per bushel; less, \$1.07 per bushel.

Hay.

Yesterday's Chicago Market. Furnished by the French Bros. Commis-sion Company, room 22, Board of Trade building:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Close Mon.
Wheat-	EC 308	s ax	1 200	0. 0. 1	W 700
Oct	\$ 89	\$ 89	\$ 8934	\$ 88%	
Dec	90%	90%	8959		91%
May	90	90%	8812	8918	5914
Corn-				2223310	-0.000
Oct	2634	2634	2614	2654	2734
Dec	28%	28%	2734		28%
May	321/8	321/8	311/2	31%	324
Oats-	7790	0.000	200		0.000
Oct	18	1814	18	181/2	18%
Dec		19%	18%	19	1934
May	21%	2176	211/2	21%	221/
Pork-					100000
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Jan	4 55	4 55	4 40	4 45	4 5214

contract, none. Spring wheat, 149 cars; contract, 8 cars. Corn. 817 cars; contract, 625 cars. Oats, 427 cars; contract, 68 cars. Estimated for to-day—Wheat, 175 cars; corn, 655 cars, oats, 275 cars.
WHEAT—Cash—No. 2 red, 94c; No. 3 red, 90@91c; No. 2 hard, 85@86c; No. 3 hard, 80@85c. No. 2 mixed, 26%; No. 2 vhite, 26%c. OATS—Cash—No. 2 mixed, 18%c; No. 2

Grain Notes.

The government report on the condition of corn indicates a crop of about 1,850,000,000

A Detroit message yesterday said: About 100,000 bushels of wheat were taken here to-day for export.

A Chicago special says: A bid from Paris received here by an exporter for St. Louis No. 2 red wheat late Monday was 12c per bushel out of line.

There were light showers east of the Mississippi river Monday night, but the weather generally was clear everywhere yesterday. There is a possibility of more showers in the West, with warmer weather. A New York message says: Exporters took here Monday 680,000 bushels of wheat and 225,000 bushels at outports; 95,000 bushels of corn and 320,000 bushels of oats here: 114,000 bushels of corn and 170,000 bushels of oats at outports.

Receipts of wheat at Liverpool for the past three days were 760,000 bushels, of which 486,000 bushels were American. Corn receipts, 248,000 bushels. Receipts for the previous three days were 384,000 bushels of wheat and 536,000 bushels of corn.

A Chicago message says: It is the general opinion that the 1,500,000 bushels of No. 2 spring wheat which have gone forward to Liverpool in the past seven days was shipped on consignment to be sold on arrival or at some future time.

The expects of the construction of the lightest seven days was shipped on consignment to be sold on arrival or at some future time. The exports of oats from the United States for the week ending September 30 were 1,356,816 bushels; rye, 360,137 bushels, and barley, 133,236 bushels. Exports of oats for the six weeks ending September 30 were 8,100,000 bushels; rye, 1,633,738 bushels, and barley, 2,196,625 bushels.

Dariey, 2.136,625 bushels.

The primary market receipts for yesterday were 1.317,000 bushels of wheat, against 1.540,000 bushels a year ago. Shipments were \$150,000 bushels; last year, 288,000 bushels, Corn receipts, \$10,000 bushels; a year ago, 1.190,000 bushels. Shipments, 252,000 bushels; last year, 202,000 bushels.

Ast year, \$22,000 bushels.

Yesterday's clearances for export at the four Atlantic ports were 340,000 bushels of wheat, 40,000 packages of flour, 250,000 bushels of corn, 241,000 bushels of oats and 67,000 bushels of rye. Total wheat and flour clearances amounted to 770,000 bushels.

Bradstreet's weekly report of changes in grain stocks issued yesterday.

Bradstreet's weekly report of changes in grain stocks, issued yesterday, was as follows: Wheat, east of the Rocky mountains in the United States, increased 2,810,000 bushels; in Europe and affoat increased 5,400,000 bushels, Corn increased 292,000 bushels and oats increased 2,447,000 bushels. bushels.

The wheat and flour clearances by ports last week, as reported by Bradstreet's, were as follows:

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Philadelphia		263,500		5,714
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Boston Newport News		231,113		15,964
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Tacoma		390,23		
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William Burns Confronted by the Wife He Deserted Seven

Years Ago. When William Burns came down to

When William Burns came down to breakfast at his boarding house, in South Camden, N. J., the other morning, he had the greatest surprise of his life. He was confronted by a woman and a 7-year-old girl. The woman said pleasantly: "Will, here is the baby you left seven years ago; what are you going to do towards supporting it?"

Burns' only answer to the pointed question was to brush woman and child away and hurricdly leave the house without breakfast. He has not been seen since. The woman said that she was Mrs. Burns; that her husband had deserted her in Wilmington, Del, with an infant and three young children seven years ago. She managed to keep a home for herself and little ones by taking boarders. Recently friends from Camden told her her husband was living in that city as a bachelor. Mrs. Burns came up to Camden and succeeded in finding Burns' boarding house. He was out when she reached there, but she was lodged for the night in a room immediately adjoining his, and there she slept to await the morning's denouement.

Burns is an engineer on the Atlantic

ment.

Burns is an engineer on the Atlantic City branch of the Reading railway. He has been known as a bachelor of very quiet habits and had an antipathy to women at his boarding house,

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

THE BEARS STILL IN CONTROL AND LITTLE TRADING.

Everything Forced Lower, From a Fraction to Four Points, and No Support to the Market From Any Source.

There was nothing new in the local money market yesterday. The call for money was only fair, and mainly from the country. What paper offering was mainly from the live stock or grain trade. Hates steady at 70% per cent. Currency shipments to the country continue fair. Bank clearings, \$2,-211,525; same day last year, \$1,78,7679; an increase of \$423,846, a gain of 24 per cent.

Eastern exchange steady.
Houston, Fible & Co., exchange brokers, quote it as follows: New York, par; Chicago, par; St. Louis, par.
The gold reserve yesterday was \$149,757,-502.

Money at Home and Abroad. New York, Oct. 12.-Money on call nom-New York, Oct. 12.—Money on call nominally 2½63 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4½65; sterling exchange easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.85½ for demand, and at \$4.8464.84½ for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.82½64.83½ and \$4.85½ commercial bills, \$4.80½64.83 and \$4.85½ London, Oct. 12.—Money, \$4 per cent. Rate of discount in the open market for short and three months' bills, 2½623½ per cent. New York, Oct. 12.—Clearings, \$159,463,231; balances, \$8,657,309.

cent.
Baltimore, Oct. 12.—Clearings, \$3,165,869;
balances, \$471,574. Money unchanged.
Cincinnati, O., Oct. 12.—Money, 214,266 per
cent; New York exchange par; clearings, \$2,095,900.
Chicago, Oct. 12.—Clearings, \$17,307,909.
New York exchange, 10c discount. Posted rates, \$4,83½, and \$4,85½.
St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 12.—Clearings, \$5,942,-085; balances, \$744,656. Money, 5 per cent; New York exchange, 25c discount bid; par aasked.

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New Orleans, La., Oct. 12.—Clearings, \$2,009,185. New York exchange bank par; commercial, \$1.25 per \$1,000 discount.

Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 12.—Clearings, \$449,-478: balances, \$73,294. New York exchange selling at par.

Silver.

New York, Oct. 12.—Bar silver, 56%c, and Mexican dollars, 43%c. London, Oct. 12.—Bar silver, 26%d per

Government Bonds As reported yesterday by Houston, Fible & Co., over their private New York wire:

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Stocks and Bonds.

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New York, Oct. 12.—Much parade was made yesterday of the alleged conversion of some of the leading bear operators on the exchange to the buil side of the market. To-day's developments prove that there is a very large and aggressive contingent still left in the market. The operation known in Wall street parlance as testing the market had for several days failed to cause any marked movement in either direction. That is to say, short selling by the bears had failed to induce any large liquidation and purchases by the buils had equally failed to invite any large folowers. Skilled observers had arrived at the conclusion that the market was due for a period of dullness, barring the development of some markedly significant news. The hardening of prices last night and the further advance this morning looked like a termination of the bear campaign. Yet in the two final hours of the market the bears succeeded in working a sharper decline throughout the whole list than has been accomplished on any one day of their campaign. They had no new event which could influence the values of stock to aid them and no report of any cessation in the earning power of properties, the shares in which are dealt in on the exchange. The nominal motive of the selling was the fear that our relations with Spain were in danger of rupture as an outgrowth of the policy which General Woodselling was the fear that our relations with Spain were in danger of rupture as an outgrowth of the policy which General Woodford was ordered to pursue at Madrid. The dispatch from Madrid to the Associated Press, carrying the semi-official announcement of the substance of Spain's reply, it was feared would force President McKinley to take action that would lead to a designation of war. Apprehension on to a declaration of war. Apprehension on this point became so acute that large amounts of long stock were offered and numerous stop loss orders were uncovered, which gave success to the bears. Several ineffectual attempts were made to stem the decline, but railles were only momentary and fresh heavy orders kept the liquidation to the close of the day. Last prices were in many cases the lowest, and the tone of the market at the last was very feverish. Losses on the day extend all the way from a fraction to over 4 points, the range in the leading active stocks being from 2 to 4 points.

The bond market showed increased activity and shared in the weakness of the eclaration of war. Apprehe

ity and shared in the weakness of the stock market, though to a less extent. The following was the range of prices yesterday, as furnished by the C. S. Lee Commission Company, 200 New York Life building:

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	High.			
Sugar14514	146	142	142%	143%
Whisky 12	124	914	914	11%
Gen. Electric 35%	3574	3215	3255	35
Gas 921/2	9234	8717	8754	9034
Leather 65	6514	2224	6217	6415
Tobacco 871/2	973	2532	957	9717
	101	1037	17.5	1072
Erie 161/a	9716	991	997	200
Reading 25	2078	2072	2473	20
T. C. I 2914	27.78	21	21	28%
Atchison 14%	1478	135%	13%	2121
Burlington 95%	(8)	93	93	9498
Rock Island 88%	887/6	86%	861/4	87%
St. Paul 95%	95%	92%	921/2	9476
Manhattan103%	103%	100	101	102%
Mo. Pacific 311/2	3114	28%	2834	3014
Pacific Mail 34%	3474	3336	3356	3434
Union Pacific 22%	2274	20%	21	2214
Wabash 1934	20	18	1856	1912
West, Union 89%	8934	8814	884	88%
Northwestern 12414	125	12214	123	12314
	7934	7657	7674	7817
Omaha 79%				
L. & N 58%	59	56%	5714	5814
North. Pacific 531/4	531/4	50 1/2	50%	517/8

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

St. Louis, Oct. 12.—WHEAT—Reccipts, 62,-690 bushels, and shipments, 46,000 bushels. Spot lower; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 944cc bld; track, 556956c; No. 2 hard, cash, Se; December, 95c bld; May, 95c bld. CORN—Receipts, 122,000 bushels, and shipments, 50,-600 bushels. Spot dull and weak; No. 2, cash, 25464254c; December, 255c asked; May, 294295c; OATS—Receipts, 60,000 bushels, and shipments, 4,000 bushels. Spot steady; No. 2, cash, elevator, 19c bld; track, 194c; No. 2 white, 2146214c; December, 194c bld; May, 215c bld. BRAN—Quiet, firm; east track, sacked, 49650c; this side, 51c. HAY—Steady and more active; prairie, \$5.0967.5c; timothy, \$7.0969.5c. PORK—Steady; standard mess, jobbing, \$2.5, LARD—Lower; prime steam, \$4.124c; choice, \$4.174c. BACON—Boxed lots; Extra short clear and ribs, \$5.75c; shorts, \$6.00. DRY SALT MEATS—Boxed shoulders, \$5.374c, extra short clear and ribs, \$5.25c; shorts, \$5.374c. Liverpool, Oct. 12.—LARD—Prime Western, spot, dull, 23s. CORN—American mixed, spot, old, steady, 3s 15d, October, quiet, 3s 13d; November, quiet, 3s 23cd; December, quiet, 3s 34d. FLOUR—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 10s. St. Louis Oct. 12.-WHEAT-Receipts, 62.

New York, Oct. 12.—COFFEE—Options opened duil, unchanged; ruled inactive and nominal with weak undertone, following unsatisfactory European advices, heavier Brazilian receipts, slack spot demand and entire lack of speculative interest; closed dull, net unchanged to 5 points decline. Sales, 5,250 bags, including December, 6,49c. Spot coffee—Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 7½c. Spot coffee—Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 7½c; jobbing, 7½c. Mild, steady; Cordova, 10½ 4716½c. Sales, 800 bags Maracaibo; 200 bags Savanilla; 100 bags Central American, p. t. SUGAR—Rew, steady; fair refining, 3 5-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 37½c. Refined, steady; standard A, 5c; confectioners' A, 5c; crushed, 5½c; granulated, 5½c.

New Orleans, Oct. 12.—COFFEE—Rio, orordinary to low fair, 83½610½c. SUGAR—Quiet; open kettle, 2½4633½c; centrifugal, granulated, 4½64 2-16c; whites, 3 15-1664 3-16c; yellows, 3½63 15-16c; seconds, 2@ 3½c. Coffee and Sugar.

New York, Oct. 12.—The dry goods market continues quiet in all cotton lines. Woolen goods show no perceptible strengthening in the situation, though the demands for spring goods, as well as the supplementary orders on fall lines, are well sustained. Reports of fair business at second hands and with retailers in various parts of the country continue, but buyers are still chary of heavy purchasing. Print cloths are steady at 2½c. Prints are generally without change. without change.

Chicago, Cct. 12.—FLOUR—Receipts, 14.— 600, and shipments, 4,000 barrels. Easier.

Winter patents, \$5.00@5.15; straights, \$4.70@ 4.85; spring specials, \$5.75; spring patents, \$5.00@5.30; straights, \$4.60@4.80; bakers', \$2.90 So.0965.30; straights, \$4.6094.80; bakers', \$3.90 (04.20).
St. Louis, Oct. 12.—FLOUR—Receipts, 4.000 barrels; shipments, 10.000 barrels, Quiet Patents, \$4.5094.90; straights, \$4.5094.60; clear, \$4.1094.25; medium, \$3.5093.75.

New York, Oct. 12.—FLOUR—Receipts, \$2.573; exports, \$3.245 barrels; market suffered from the break in wheat and was weak all day; Minnesota patents, \$5.1095.50; winter straights, \$4.6094.70; winter extra, \$3.2093.60.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

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Chicago, Oct. 12.—BUTTER—Steady; creameries, 15421c; dairies, 12425c. EGGS—Firm; fresh, 1412c.
St. Louis, Oct. 12.—BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 15421c; dairy, 11416c, EGGS—Firm at 13c.

New York, Oct. 12.—BUTTER—Receipts, 7,072 packages, Market quiet; Western creamery, 14622c; Elgins, 22c; factory, 969
13c. CHEESE—Receipts, 7,257 packages, Market quiet; large, white and colored, 9429
14c; small, white and colored, 942c; part skims, 64267c; full skims, 34244c. EGGS—Receipts, 11,000 packages, Market quiet; Western, 164207c.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—Rye—Cash, 45c; December, 46%c. Flaxseed—Cash, 29c; December, \$1.02. Timothy seed—Prime, \$2.50.
St. Louis, Oct. 12.—Flaxseed—Higher at 26c. Timothy seed—Prime, \$2.70. Rye—Lower at 42%c.
Toledo, O. Oct. 12.—Clover seed—Again higher; prime, cash, \$3.32%. Rye—Lower; No. 2, cash, 47%c.

Lead and Zinc. New York, Oct. 12.—LEAD—Easier; brokers' price, \$4.00; exchange price, \$4.15@4.22½. Spelter—Dull, at \$4.2004.25. St. Louis, Oct. 12.—LEAD—Lower at \$3.97½@4.00. Spelter—Nominal at \$4.00@4.05.

Cotton. New Orleans, Oct. 12.-COTTON-Futures steady at a decline; sales, 24,100 bales. October, 5,94c bid; November, 5,9865,59c; December, 5,9966,00c; January, 6,0266,03c; February, 6,0666,08c; March, 6,1166,12c.

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Struggle for Existence in an Overcrowded Profession-Law Schools Still Grind, However. From the Philadelphia Record

Are American institutions tending to the development of a learned proletariat class?
That France and Germany are suffering from an oversupply of physicians, professors, lawyers and preachers is a complaint frequently heard. In this country, where these laborers are altogether out of proportion to the amount of labor to be done, it is not unusual for a man to prolong his studies into middle life simply because, from excessive competition, no field of labor has been opened up to him. The Parisian student has brilliant opportunities for the study of art; but he finds little demand for the product of his efforts. He can study architecture, but no one asks him to build houses, for it is so much easier to establish schools of art and architecture than to maintain in a densely populated country a healthy proportion between supply and demand.

A study of the statistics of the lawyer's profession is likely to leave the impression that if the laborers in the other learned professions bear the same ratio to the demand for labor our own country is already development of a learned proletariat class? professions bear the same ratio to the demand for labor our own country is already in a sadder plight than are the lands of the effete aristocracles. There are now 90,000 professional lawyers in our "Model Republish" professional lawyers in our "Model Republic," or one lawyer to every 800 of the population. In the center of population the ratio is as high as one to every 350 inhabitants. Such is said to be the condition in Chicago, where a recently compiled directory shows that nearly 5,000 lawyers are struggling for existence. France, with a population of 40,000,000, can manage to exist with only 1,000 more lawyers than are needed in Chicago, and Germany, with more than 45,000,000 population, has but 7,000 lawyers. The prolific law schools, many of which are maintained not to make lawyers, but rather to furnish professorlawyers, but rather to furnish professor-ships to half made lawyers unable to make

ships to half made lawyers unable to make a decent living in the practice of law, are largely responsible for the surplus of law-yers. The law schools have multiplied at an amazing rate, the number last year hav-ing been reported at eighty-five, with a total of more than 10,000 students. In 1870 the law schools reported 1,611 students; in 1885, 3,054; in 1891, 6,105; in 1894, 7,600. Nor 1885, 3,654; in 1891, 6,106; in 1894, 7,600. Nor has this increase been the consequence of a corresponding demand; on the contrary, in the opinion of Mr. Edwards, in the Michigan Law Journal, it is "safe to say that approximately 50 per cent of the ordinary revenues of the old time law office have been cut off in recent years."

In view off facts such as have been presented it is somewhat discouraging to read the late criticism of a well known Columbia college professor: "When machine shops and factories and all the paraphernalia of the applied sciences are imported into the accedemic shades, and when the perfume of the attic violet is stifled by the stenches of the chemist's crucible, the true purpose of the university is forgotten." The professor's rhetoric seems better than his judgment. As to what constitutes the true purpose of a university there is apt to be a wide difference of opinion; yet few are so warped by prejudice as to maintain that the true purpose of our higher schools is to prepare young men for a life of inactivity. To the outside observer it looks as though the universities equipped with "the paraphernalia of the applied sciences" and the "crucibles" of the chemist are doing better service in educating men to be mechanics, designers, engineers, electriclans, agriculturists and chemists than is being done by those which are helping to increase the large "crop" of American lawyers.

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LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

St. Louis, Oct. 12.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4.400. Natives easy; Texans strong to 10c higher. Native beeves, \$3.85@5.15 bid. Texas steers, \$3.00@4.25.
HOGS—Receipts, 7.500. Market strong to 5c higher. Top, \$4.05.
SHEEF—Receipts, 2.200. Market steady. Sheep, \$2.75@3.85; lambs, \$3.50@5.10.
South Omaha, Oct. 12.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6.100. Best steady, others 10c lower. Beeves, \$3.85@4.75; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@4.40; cows, \$2.00@3.50.
HOGS—Receipts, 5.800. Market 5c higher; strong. Top, 3.80; bulk of sales, \$3.55@3.65.
SHEEP—Receipts, 190. Market strong. Chicago, Ill., Oct. 12.—CATTLE—Receipts, Chicago, Ill., Oct. 12.-CATTLE-Receipts 5,500. There was a fairly active demand for cattle and prices were steady for na-tives, while rangers were strong to 10c higher. Native beef steers sold at \$3.80% higher. Native beef steers sold at \$3.89\tilde{m}\$
4.00 for the poorest dressed beef grades, up
to \$5.00\tilde{m}\$.05 for choice to prime shipping
lets, the greater part of the offerings crossing the scales at \$4.50\tilde{m}\$.10. The termination of the long drouth has imparted more
life to the stocker and feeder trade and
sales of light weight stock steers were
especially large at \$3.00\tilde{m}\$4.00. Choice cows
and heifers sold unusually well, the best
heifers going for \$4.50\tilde{m}\$4.75. Calves were
in good supply and trade was brisk at
steady prices. Texas cattle were unchanged. Western range cattle were active with a good demand from feeders, the
offerings being largely of poor to medium
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HOGS—Receipts, 14,000. Trade was active, prices ruling about 5c per 100 pounds higher on an average except for "packers." Sales were largely made at \$3,7074.00, ccarse heavy packers selling at \$3,45073.00, and prime assorted light weights at \$1,1000 4.12½. The average quality of the receipts was again poor. The greater part of the pigs went for \$1,00073.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 9,000. Trade in sheep and lambs was active at an average advance of 10c per 100 pounds in sheep and 15025c in lambs, as compared with late sales last week. Sheep were wanted at \$2,00072.50 for culls, up to \$4,00074.25 for choice to prime natives. Western range sheep found purchasers at \$3,00073.55, the greater part of the selling being at \$3,50073.75 for the poorest, up to \$5,00075.55 for the best, Westerns fetching \$3,5505.00.

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LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKET.

HEAVY RECEIPTS OF CATTLE AND PRICES STEADY TO 10c LOWER.

More Life to the Hog Market and Values a Shade Higher Under Light Receipts - Sheep Active and Stendy.

51. 949. 3 60 95. 1061. 3 60

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15. 910. 3 30 5. 816. 2 50

WESTERN STEERS.
20. 1133. 3 15 24. 1000. 3 60

47. 1117. 3 90 44. 1174. 4 00

40. 1333. 4 25 102. 1251. 4 10

77. 1028. 4 30 40. 1424. 4 80

52. 990. 3 85 47. 783. 2 80

WESTERN FEEDERS.
20. 807. 3 65 60. 885. 3 25

12. 800. 3 15 135. 842. 3 50

86. 777. 3 80 53. 775. 3 80

27. 788. 2 85 54. 839. 2 85

COLORADO STEERS.
22. 781. 4 10 2. 790. 3 6242

COLORADO COWS.
17. 968. 2 90

N. M. STEERS.
32. 804. 3 45 105. 874. 3 45

49. 783. 2 80

RANGE CATTLE—TEXAS DIVISION.

TEXAS AND INDIAN STEERS.
24. 975. 3 50 199. 1073. 3 40

24. TEXAS AND INDIAN COWS.
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661. 2.75 | 45. 693. 2.50 TEXAS AND INDIAN HEIFERS. 639. 2.95 | 24. ...550. 2.75 TEXAS AND INDIAN CALVES. ...110. @ 5.00 | 12. ...285. @ 10.75 HOGS-Movements the past 24 hours:

Ing demand, shippers did little, me range was \$2.50@3.80; bulk of (3.75.]

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Drive-outs. 3.033

There was quite a drop in the receipts yesterday, and nearly half of the arrivals went direct to a killer, leaving only a moderate supply on sale. Good killing grades were in good demand and firm, and choice lambs steady, but medium lambs were slow sale and weak. Stockers and feeders continue active. REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

181 Nevada lambs
245 Utah lambs
37 Southwest lambs
38 Nevada cull lambs.
380 Utah
46 Southwestern
176 Southwestern
82 Texas culls
97 Southwestern
600 Nevada stockers
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HORSES AND MULES—Mov HORSES AND MULES-Movements the Stock Grand av. Yards, Stables. ..103 82 ...104 47

no life to the market. The yellow fever at the South still interferes much with it in that section, and our best demand this time of year is from there. Horses are duli and barely steady, but a fair movement is had in mules at unchanged prices. We note the sale yesterday of eighty-eight extra mules, 15½ to 15 hands, at \$55.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET. Doing Very Well-Demand Fair and Prices of Staples Good.

Quotations below are for job lots. On small lots higher prices are asked and ob-tained, enough being asked to cover extra cost of caring for and filling them.

BUTTER-Demand good and prices firm. Receipts, 104 packages, Quoted as follows; Extra fancy separator, 22c; firsts, 20c; sec-onds, 15c; dairy, fancy, 17c; choice, 14c; store packed, 12@14c; fresh packing stock, 760%. store packed, 12@14c; fresh packing stock, 17@2c.

EGGS—Steady and selling very well. Receipts 215 cases. Fresh candled Missouri and Kansas, 11½c per dozen.

POULTRY—Market fairly active and firmer. Receipts, 138 coops. Hens, 6c; broilers, 7½c; large springs, 6c; roosters, 12½c each. Ducks, 5@6c. Old geese, 5c; springs, 6½c. Turkeys, 9c. Pigeons, 60 dozen.

BUTTERINE—We quote: Dairy grades, 11c; medium grades, 12c; high grades, 11; 12c; 1-pound rolls, bricks and prints, 1c over above prices; 2 and 3-pound rolls, 10 and 20-pound packages, ½c over above prices.

and 20-pound packages, ½c over above prices.

CHEESE—Firm. New York and Ohio full cream, 10½@12c; Wisconsin fancy, full cream, 10½@11c; Young America, full cream, 10½010; Young America, full cream, 10@10½c.

POTATOES—More coming in but prices held steady and demand fair. We quote: Home grown, poor, 40@45c per bushel; good to choice, 55@57c; Nebraska, 55@57c per bushel in car lots; Minnesota, 55@57c per bushel; in a jobbing way a little higher. Colorado, 67@50c per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Market quiet and weaker. Quoted at 25@50c per bushel from store. MELONS—Cantaloupes selling fairly, but watermelons duil. We quote as follows: Home grown watermelons, 33.9635.00 per 199, 900.631.75 per dozen. Cantaloupes, Rocky Ford, \$1.5061.75 per crate; home grown, 302

60c per dozen. GRAPES-Steady and in fair demand.We

Ford, \$1.502.16 per crate; nome grown, 302 500 per dozen.

GRAPES—Steady and in fair demand. We quote: Concord, 102150 per basket: Niagaras, 15200; Delawares and Lindeys, 250 per basket: California, \$1.021.25 per 4-basket crate. Tokay, \$1.50.

PEACHES—Steady and in fair demand. Quotations are: Good to choice clings. 352400 per one-third bushel box; poor, 252 350; good to choice freestones, 35231.00 per 4-basket crate, \$1021.50 per 6-basket crate; home grown, 202450 per basket. White Heath, 352400 per peck basket.

GAME—Selling slowly. Quoted as follows: Ducks, Mallard, \$3.50 per dozen; teal, \$2.00; mixed, \$1.50. Jacksnipe, \$1.00. Plover, \$1.50. Squirrels, \$1.00. Frogs, 35231.25.

APPLES—Choice in fair demand but poor dull. Good to choice, 502600 per bu.; common to fair, 302350 per bushel; per barrel, \$1.522 \$1.75, as to quality; choice, \$2.252.50.

PEARS—Steady but slow sale We quote: Home grown, 402500 per one-third bushel box; 252400 per peck basket, as to quality; California, \$1.5021.75 per bushel box.

NUTS—Quoted: Coccoanuts, \$3.50 per 100; small lots, 50c dozen. Pecans, Texas, polished, \$612c; Mexican pecans, \$769c. Peanuts, Virginia white, raw, 466c per pound; Tennessee, raw, 465c; roasted, \$4547c; Kansasa, 2½c; Taragona almonds, 11(212c. Caitfornia \$1.5021.75 per standard, \$200c. Pinon, 13214c; Brazil, \$610c; filberts, \$610c.

FRUITS—Lemons, Sleily, fancy, \$3.5024, 50; California stock, \$3.5024, 50; Per box. Quinces, 40c per basket in a small way; California, \$1.502 life per box. VEGETABLES—Supply continues fair. Quoted as follows: Home grown cabbare. basket in a small way; California, \$1.50@ 1.75 per box.

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VEGETABLES—Supply continues fair.
Quoted as follows: Home grown cabbage, 30@50e per doz.; Northern stock, Holland, 50@50e per 100-pound crate; \$12 per ton.
Onions, Red Wethersfield and Red Globe, 50@60c per bushel; White Globe, 60@75c; white pickle, \$1.00. Tomatoes, 40@50c per bushel; yellow, small, 20c per peck; green, 30@40c per bushel. Beets, 25@40c per bushel. Turnips, 35@40c per bushel. Carrots, 25@30c bu. Lima beans, 40@50c gallon. Green and wax beans 56@55c per bu but 1.54.

Green and wax beans, 65675c per bu. Lettuce, 15c per bushel. Celery, Michigan stock, 30675c. Hubbard squash, 50675c per dozen in a small way. Pumpkins, 40675c per dozen.

Wool Quiet-East.

Boston, Oct. 12.—The wool market here has shown a quieter tone this week, although prices are held firmer for most classes of wools. Territory wools still head the list in the amount of business transactions and the price is a trifle higher, taking the market as a whole. About 50c scoured for fine medium and fine is the general established price in the market. Staple wools would go higher, but the supply is very meager. The demand for Australian wools continues with full prices obtainable.

tainable.

Unwashed medium—Kentucky and Indiana quarter-blood combing, 23c; Missouri quarter-blood combing, 22c; Missouri quarter-blood combing, 22c; braid combing, 21c; lake and Georgia, 22c.

Texas wools—Spring medium (12 months), 16618c; scoured price, 43646c; spring fine (12 months), 14618c; scoured price, 50652c.

Territory wools—Montana fine medium and fine, 18618c; scoured, 48650c; staple, 5265c; Utah. Wyoming, etc., fine medium and fine, 15617c; scoured price, 48650c; staple, 52655c.

Australian scoured basis, combing su-Australian scoured basis, combing superfine, 70@72c; combing good, 65@68c; combing average, 62@65c; Queensland combing, 65c.

The market yesterday was dull and weak. The speculative market was lower and trading light and the cash market here quiet in sympathy.

We quote in car lots:
GREEN MEATS—Shoulders, \$4.75@4.85;
per cwt.; hams, \$7.00@7.15.
SWEET PICKLED MEATS—Hams, \$7.25
@7.50; shoulders, \$5.25@5.50 SWEET PICKLED MEATS—Hams, \$7.25 67.50; shoulders, \$5.2565.50. DRY SALT MEATS—Shoulders, cash, \$5.25 per cwt.; short ribs sides, cash, \$4.70; long clear, sides, \$4.70; shore clear sides, \$5.00.

RECORD BREAKING LOVEMAKER. It Took the Captain and His Bride Only Five Minutes to Do

Captain McNulty, of Stuart, Fla., picked up a woman that would suit him from a paper, and wrote to her. Several letters passed between them, with the result that his affianced landed in his arms at the depot. They had never met but were pleased, and at once repaired to the sta-tion master's house, where in five minutes after the young woman's arrival they were made man and wife. After the ceremony bride and groom hied themselves to the captain's quarters.

PENSIONS.

Washington, Oct. 12—The following pensions have been issued:

KANSAS.

Original—George W. Lambing, Abilene; William S. Nash, Seneca; Handy S. Day, Dwight.

Additional—David Geary, Densmore; John M. Mellon, Stockton.

Supplemental—John Veltman, Hazelton, Increase—Martin V. B. Sheafer, Concordia; Levi Earhart, Reading.

Reissue—Marcellus Reser, Rossville; Joseph F. Culver, Emporia; Edward C. Ward, Parsons.

Original widow, etc.—Sophia Smith, De-Original widow, etc.-Sophia Smith, De-MISSOURI.

MISSOURI.

Original—Joseph W. Trueblood, Clearmont: Charles Wegener, Waverly; Isaac N. Baldridge, Howe's Mill; special October 1) Gottfried Back, Clark's Forks.

Supplemental—Special (October 1), Nathan T. Moore, Mountain Grove.
Renewal—James R. Salmons, St. Joseph.
Increase—Samuel Mecham, Elmo; Gillum Hopper, Clarence; George Daugherty, Oscela; Robert D. Davis, Dry Glaze; Isaac Anthony, Luray; Henry H. Norman, Merwin. win.
Original widow, etc.—Elizabeth Stocker,
St. Louis, Martha J. Gardner, Brookfield.
INDIAN TERRITORY.
Mexican war widow—Eliza M. Cantrell,
Needmore.

St. Joseph Excursion. standard of the standard of th

OF INTEREST TO STOCKMEN.

WESTERN FEEDER TRADE THIS YEAR SHOWS GREAT INCREASE.

Figures From the Western Markets-Verdiet of Guilty in the Dent Case-Notes and News From the Stock Yards.

It has been known in a general way that this has been a very busy year with West-ern cattle feeders, but few were prepared to believe that the trade was so much bigger this year than last, as shown by the following from the Drovers' Telegram: During the first nine months of 1867 there were shipped from the four great Western markets 901,599 stock and feeding cattle, an markets 991,599 stock and feeding cattle, an increase of 46,593 head, or 81 per cent, over the corresponding period in 1896. It was by far the greatest number ever sent out. The following table shows the shipments from the four points, but the figures accredited to Chicago are over Western reads only. Nine menths shipments:

1897. 1896. 1896. 1896. Chicago 123,590 (23,590) [25,590] [25,5

 Chicago
 159,000
 103,600
 131,000

 Omaha
 20,113
 116,085
 141,142

 St. Louis
 91,000
 19,000
 27,000

Colonel Albert Dean, of the bureau of animal industry here, received a telegram yesterday from J. W. Johnson, chairman of the Kansas City live stock sanitary commission, who is now at Parsons, Kas, which said: "Jury brought in a verdict of guity in the Dent case." This is the trial of E. C. Dent, the Parsons butcher, who was arrested with Charles Tritthart for smuggling cattle across the quarantine line.

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There are a number of horse and mule buyers in from the South, but they are doing little, as the yellow fever greatly hampers trade. George G. Phillips and J. D. Crostwalt, of Birmingham, Ala., got in Monday, but as yet have done little. They say before the yellow fever broke out the season promised to be a most prosperous one. The iron interest is very active and crops were quite good, and but for the blight of disease the fall trade would have been the best for some years. While there is little doing now in horses and mules there, yet the seeds of prosperity have been sown and the late trade may be good.

F. W. Hunt, of Helena, Ark., is here buying mules. He got eighty-eight extra, 15½ to 16 hand, mules yesterday from W. E. Robertson, of the stock yards norse and mule market, for which he paid \$55 per head. They are to be used on levee work at Williamson's break, Arkansas.

J. R. Towers is just back from Mon-tana. He says from the ranges on the Little Missouri river, where his ranch is located, they marketed about the usual number of cattle this season, but Mon-tana, as a whole, has sent much fewer cattle to market this year than last. Range is very dry and in many places has been damaged by fire. Yet the grass is good and in his section cattle promise to go into the winter in fair condition.

Visitors at the Yards With Stock. Mitchell Bros., Quincy, Kas., had in hogs yesterday.

A. Spiers, Linn, Kas., came in yesterday with cattle. George Veeh, Stutgart, Kas., was in yes-terday with cattle. George Coverdale. Stark, Kas., came in yesterday with cattle. Minor & Wear, Amarillo, Tex., were up yesterday with cattle. William Olson, Glasco, Kas., was here yesterday with cattle. Apperson & McFarland, Hannon, Mo., had in cattle yesterday. C. J. Minor, Miami, Tex., was at the yards yesterday with cattle. W. T. Wynn, Davis, I. T., was at the yards yesterday with cattle. yards yesterday with cattle.

J. R. Young, Savonsburg, Kas., was here yesterday with cattle and hogs.

R. H. McKeighan, Lee's Summit, Mo., was here yesterday with cattle.

Robert and Henry Orr, Clinton county, Mo., got feeders here yesterday.

O. P. Bray Yates Center, Key, Wood, 1985. O. P. Bray, Yates Center, Kas., was on the yards yesterday with cattle. William Shigley, Humboldt, Kas., was on the yards yesterday with hogs. H. C. Cooley, Osborn, Kas., was on the yards yesterday with cattle and hogs. James Ransberger & Bro., Mount Leon-ard, Mo., got feeders here yesterday. Shauver Bros., L. T. Johnson and M. L. Steele, Seymour, Tex., had in cattle yester-

Mo., were in yesterday with cattle and hogs. A. Chastine and William Winters, P. Handle City, Tex., were in yesterday wi Thomas Carlton, Fred Samp and Klotz-bach, Iantha, Mo., were here yesterday with cattle and hogs. C. P. Van Kirk, Jr., and R. L. Coble, Cleveland, Mo., were at the yards yesterday with cattle and hogs. They report the usual number of cattle in farmers' hands in Cass county and more hogs than last year; corn about half a crop and selling at 30c per bushel.

Many persons keep Carter's Little Liv-er Pills on hand to prevent bilious attacks, sick headache, dizziness, and find them just what they need.

EUROPEANS WANT OUR MONEY. n Everything Else They Regard the Americans With Much

Nathan B. Scott, member of the Repubican national committee from West Virinia, think that Americans make a mistake in going abroad and spending money in countries the people of which have a contempt for this republic and its citizens. He arrived recently from a long European trip, and gave his impression of what he

He arrived recently from a long European trip, and gave his impression of what he heard and saw.

"Everything American," he said, "in Europe is treated with more or less contempt. They sneer at us, and, no doubt, laugh in their sleeves at the way we come to their country and spend money foolishly. My wife and I together never bought \$50 worth of goods in Europe after we discovered the real feeling against Americans. They think we are a race of braggarts, and if I had told them that in New York there are buildings twenty stories high, with seven or eight elevators running all the time, they would have considered me a huge fabricator. They considered me a huge fabricator. They considered me a huge fabricator. They considered me their goods here and kept many of our working people idle.

"The Germans, for instance, profited greatly by the Wilson bill. It gave a boom to their industries, and many of the small farmers sold their farms and went to work in the factories in the towns, where the demand for labor was great. Now things are different, and the small farmers who sold and sought the towns have little to do. Our working people are reaping the benefits of the protection and the bitterness against our tariff increases in Europe. They may enact retallatory tariff laws, but I guess we can stand it. "Something should be done to stop Americans from spending so much money in Europe every summer. They appreciate us over there only to fleece us scientifically."

Why don't you try Carter's Little Liver Pills? They are a positive cure for sick headache and all the ills produced by dis-ordered liver.

The Reproduction of Truffle.

The reproduction of the truffle is a perplexing problem for botanists. Some land owners of Lot and Correze have been experimenting to determine whether the speres are not diffused through the intermedium of cattle, and particularly of certain domestic animals of quick digastion, but M. Grimblot seems to have proven that the diffusion of the spores is effected by wood mice. This throws doubts upon another common belief. It has been supposed, probably without good reason, that both this valuable fungus and the common mushroom produce spores which will not develop until they have passed through the intestines of the cow or horse.

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